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For : DEVICE AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING INSULATION ELEMENTS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

RESPONSE

In response to the Office Action mailed December 11, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.